



Dear Luna Parents,

Friday, October 16, is the last day of the grading cycle. Please make sure that your child has completed all missing work and test retakes. Check with individual teachers to find out the last day for assignment completion as it may vary depending on the types of assignments.

Also, several 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students have not completed the district Reading CDB. These benchmark tests provide valuable data for teachers about your child's strengths and areas for growth. It is important that all students complete these tests.

The second nine weeks grading period begins on October 19. The campus will be contacting you if we have your student on the list for in-person learning beginning on October 19.

Teachers will be receiving campus training next week. Students were given directions on the announcements today. Each department will have a dedicated day of training. Students will only participate in synchronous learning on the days their teachers are **not** training. For example, ELA's training is on Monday. During students' ELA classes on Monday, they will only be working asynchronously. There will be no Zoom meetings for ELA on Monday. All other classes on Monday will continue to have Zoom meetings. We will follow this same protocol for each day with different departments.

Monday--ELA

Tuesday--Math

Wednesday--Social Studies

Thursday--Science

Friday--PE/Electives

Please create your Parent Account in Schoology if you haven't done so already. The instructions for setting up this account can be found on Luna's website.

Progress Report and Report Card Dates

Progress Reports: Sept. 14, Oct. 5, Nov. 9, Dec. 7, Jan., 25, Feb. 15, April 12, May 3
Report Card Dates: Oct. 26, Jan. 11, March 29, and June 14

Student Reminders

Please remember to bring a water bottle. We have a water bottle fountain in the commons by the Theater Classroom. Also, remember to bring your device completely charged.

Tips to help your Schoology experience

You may have seen your student working on a Google Doc, a Google Slide, or a Google Sheet inside Schoology. The integration of Google Suite Apps in Schoology allows students to complete their work in one place without opening multiple programs.

You can [click here for a Google/Schoology troubleshooting guide](#) or [here to watch a short YouTube video on using Schoology, Google Suite Apps, and the iPad](#).

You can also help your student organize their Schoology courses page by reordering their course tiles. [This short video shows you how](#).

We hope these quick tips help to enhance your student's Schoology experience.

Immunizations

If your child is scheduled to be an “In-Person” Learner on October 19, immunizations must be current. Prior notices have been sent out to parents who are delinquent on immunizations and/or have an expired exemption that needs to be renewed. NISD requires all students to be up to date on immunizations or have an exemption from the state on file prior to attending school in person.

If you are unsure which immunizations your son or daughter is missing, please email the school nurse for clarification. You may email updated immunization records and/or contact the school nurse at erika.haynes@nisd.net

Counselors' Corner

Good afternoon Longhorn Family!

Your Luna counselors have visited all of our students at each grade level and we are now taking requests for participation in small counseling groups. Today, we provided a short Lesson on Respect. October 9, 2020 is Northside's Decision of Respect day in which all students and Northside employees sign a Decision of Respect. This day is a reminder that we want our school to be a positive place where we all make the decision to model respect for ourselves and others each and every day.

It is so great that we are **Back.Together.Better.** Longhorn Pride Never Dies!

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Principal Lisa Richard

Helpful Resources are on the next page of this newsletter.



RESOURCES
AT YOUR
FINGERTIPS

 **Academics Helpline**
Online Student Homework Support

Monday - Thursday	Saturday	Sunday
4-8 p.m. - ES	10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	2 - 6 p.m.
6-10 p.m. - MS/HS	All Levels	All Levels

Links available in Schoology, HAC, & MyNISD Portal to request help by video conference, chat, or screen share.

 **Tech Hotline**
Student Technical Support

- Toll-free Number: 1-877-768-4630
- NISD student hotline: 210-397-0020
- Chat Feature: <https://tinyurl.com/NISDchat>

Monday - Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
8 a.m. - 9 p.m.	8 a.m. - 7 p.m.	10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	2 - 6 p.m.

 **Schoology Helpline**
Online Schoology Support

- Schoology Daytime Support
(Fill out help form and someone will get back to you.)

Monday - Friday
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

- Schoology Live evening & weekend support

Monday - Thursday	Saturday	Sunday
4-10 p.m.	10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	2 - 6 p.m.

Link is in Schoology, HAC, & MyNISD Portal

